

SPORTING EVENTS

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Results Yesterday. At Pittsburgh, 1; New York, 2 (10 innings). Second-Pittsburg, 2; New York, 3.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Results Yesterday. At Philadelphia-St. Louis (rain; two games today). At Boston, 5; Cleveland, 1.

THE GIANTS WIN TWO GAMES

New York Takes Double Header From Pittsburg and Increases Lead on Chicago—Cubs Were Not Scheduled

Pittsburg, August 23.—New York today took both games of a double header from Pittsburg by scores of 2 to 1 and 3 to 2.

HANGS UP A NEW LEAGUE RECORD.



WALTER JOHNSON. Star twirler of Washington, American League team, who yesterday won his 16th straight game.

In the second game O'Toole and Tesreau were opposing pitchers and both did fine work. O'Toole was relieved by Cole after the seventh inning.

The scores—Pittsburg . . . 100 000 000—1 8 0 New York . . . 000 000 001—2 11 1

International League At Montreal 3; Baltimore 6. At Buffalo-Jersey City, rain.

Southern League At New Orleans 2; Memphis 1. (8 innings, rain.)

South Atlantic League At Albany 5; Macon 9.

Appalachian League At Knoxville 1; Johnson City 0.

Virginia League At Roanoke 1; Petersburg 3.

At Richmond 3; Portsmouth 2. At Norfolk 4; Newport News 5.

RAILROADERS VS. DELGADO

Interesting Base Ball Game Scheduled For This Afternoon at League Park—Keen Rivalry Exists—The Line Up.

Baseball fans are looking forward with interest to the game scheduled between The A. C. L. Champions and the Delgado team this afternoon at League Park.

the city authorities from the city treasury. The rats have grown so bold that they have killed chickens in all parts of the city and they are so large and fierce that cats and many dogs are afraid of them.

Thirteen Hebrew or Yiddish papers are published in New York, three of them being dailies.

Grand opera in Yiddish in the East End of London is the latest operative experiment.

The birth rate in Scotland fell last year to 26.65 a thousand, the lowest recorded rate.

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DEMOCRACY MUST BE A WORTHY INSTRUMENT

People Trust It, Says Woodrow Wilson, and It Must Make Good.

Sea Girl, N. J.—Woodrow Wilson at the "Little White House" at Sea Girt is daily called upon to demonstrate his ability as a ready speaker.

There is not a day passes but what he meets various delegations who call to assure him of their support.

In speaking of political machines to the Brooklyn Democratic Club Governor Wilson said: "Machines are bad, but an organization may be very essential. For instance, I have been surrounded by an organization here in New Jersey while doing my best work. A machine uses its political opportunities for the selfish ends of its members.

Some gentlemen seem to find it easy to make personalities out of politics, but it seems to me that whenever that is done politics is debased.

"Men who are in search of reform are now resorting to the Democratic party, because, for my own part, I do not know where else they will turn to expect the results. There is no discounting the strength and serviceability of a united party, and the splendid part is that the Democratic party is united.

"Speaking seriously, nothing affords me more genuine pleasure than to receive such greetings from men in Jersey who have at least tested my qualities. Because you have known me at close range and if you will be kind enough to vouch for me perhaps the rest of the country will be credulous of your report.

"I have spent a great deal of time since I became governor of New Jersey defending your character. It was supposed in the old days, when the board of guardians was in charge of the state, that you were all of you disposed to give the most monopolistic trusts of the country a great ringing welcome in New Jersey.

"New Jersey was known as the mother of trusts—a very troublesome and questionable family—and I had to spend my time outside New Jersey assuring the people of the Union that it had not been the fault or the disposition of the people of New Jersey that there were certain gentlemen who had undertaken to carry the Republican party in their pockets and to administer independently of the rank and file of Republicans in the state.

"New Jersey is progressive, but the United States is progressive, and we have here merely a delightful sample of the people of the United States.

"Now, these people are not bent on destroying anything, but they are bent on setting everything in order; they are bent upon justice; they are bent upon seeing to it that the people in general are partners of the government, as I was trying to show the other day. And the Democratic party is now placed under a peculiar responsibility. It has to prove that it is the worthy instrument of that zeal on the part of the people of the United States. If it does not prove it now it will never be given another chance to prove it. No party that proves unfaithful to that ideal will ever again be trusted by the people of America.

And therefore we are standing at a turning point in our politics. We must make good or go out of business. In the vernacular, it is a case of 'put up or shut up,' because words are going to be discounted. Nothing will be honored except the actual carrying out of such programs as sensible men may unite in for the common benefit."

Washington, Aug. 23.—Washington defeated Detroit today in both games of a doubleheader, 8 to 1 and 6 to 4. Walter Johnson, in the first game, scored his 16th straight victory. Cashion was wild in the second, but effective in tight places. In the ninth inning of the second game Ty Cobb hit a home run over the right field fence.

The scores—Detroit . . . 000 100 000—1 7 4 Washington . . . 013 003 01X—8 7 1

DuBuc, Works and Stange; Johnson and Ainsmith. Time 1:45. Umpires Egan and Evans.

Second game—Detroit . . . 011 010 001—4 9 5 Washington . . . 200 100 03X—5 9 3

McGehe, Lake and Kocher; Cashion and Ainsmith and Henry. Time 2:05. Umpire Evans and Egan.

Boston, Aug. 23.—The Red Sox prepared themselves further against Washington and Philadelphia yesterday by winning a game from Cleveland today, 5 to 1. Bedient was in good form, keeping the Cleveland hits scattered except in the fifth when Ryan's triple came on top of Adams' single for the visitors' only run. Boston scored all its runs off Steen, who started for Cleveland.

After getting one run in the first on a pass, a hit and a sacrifice fly, the Red Sox added four more in the second on four successive singles, a pass and Speaker's hit for three bases. Baskette, who succeeded O'Loughlin, held Boston to two hits and without runs for the rest of the game. Boston . . . 140 000 00X—5 8 0 Cleveland . . . 000 010 000—1 8 1

Bedient and Carrigan; Steen, Baskette and Adams. Time 1:55. Umpires Westervelt and O'Loughlin.

New York, Aug. 23.—Not a New York batter reached second base today on Cicotte until the ninth inning, when singles by Daniels and Paddock and Hartzell's double were good for two runs. Fisher was fairly effective but made several untimely errors. Collins drove in three of Chicago's runs. Chicago . . . 000 021 010—4 8 0 New York . . . 000 000 002—2 7 4

Cicotte and Kuhn; Davis, Fisher and Sweeney. Time 1:58. Umpires Deneen and O'Brien.

CAROLINA ASSOCIATION. At Greensboro, 10; Anderson, 3. At Spartanburg, 4; Winston-Salem, 0. At Greenville, 1; Charlotte, 16.

Standing of the Clubs: Club: Won. Lost. P. C. Anderson . . . 61 40 601 Winston-Salem . . . 58 43 574 Charlotte . . . 56 44 560 Spartanburg . . . 54 45 545 Greensboro . . . 48 51 471 Greenville . . . 32 73 373

MARITIME RATE WAR. Suez Canal Reduces Rates on Account of Panama Free Tolls.

Washington, Aug. 22.—A rate war which might involve the maritime nations of the world and which would revolve about the Suez and Panama canals, was predicted today in Washington by officials who have watched the development of world interest in the Panama Canal bill now awaiting the approval of President Taft.

According to the report that reached the State Department today, the directorate of the Suez canal has decided to reduce rates through that canal. In official circles this notice was regarded as the first retaliatory step against the free tolls provision for American ships through the Panama canal. The announcement of the proposed reductions through Suez appeared in inconspicuous notices in American newspapers. The notice which aroused so much interest was to the effect that after the first of next year the transit dues in the Suez Canal will be reduced 50 centimes, bringing the toll for loaded ships down to 6.25 francs. This is the precise equivalent to the \$1.25 maximum tolls which the Panama Canal act prescribes for vessels passing through that waterway.

Professor Emory R. Johnson, whose exhaustive investigation of the financial aspect of the Panama Canal, as a special commissioner for the War Department formed the basis for the action of the congressional committee in fixing the toll rates on the canal, held that if the Panama project was to be a success financially and commercially its toll should be lower than those of the Suez canal. This was on the basis that the Panama route would secure at least a minor share of the shipping moving between Europe and the Pacific coast ports of Asia. Even lower tolls at Panama, he held, would not draw away from the Suez canal a large part of the oriental trade, because of traffic opportunities the price of coal and other supplies which have a determining effect upon the selection of routes.

DELAWARE GETS PENNANT. Big Dreadnaught Wins Battle Efficiency Flag of the Navy.

Newport News, Va., August 23.—Lying at anchor in Hampton Roads, surrounded by 19 other ships of the Atlantic fleet, the dreadnaught Delaware today was officially presented with the battle efficiency pennant of the navy, won by the big ship in the recent maneuvers and target practice. It testifies that the winner is the most efficient fighting machine in the American navy.

Captain John Hood, standing on the quarter deck of his ship, with officers of the fleet and the entire crew of his own vessel grouped around him, received the pennant from the hands of Assistant Secretary of the Navy Beekman Northrop, who came from Washington on the President's yacht Mayflower to make the presentation. With Secretary Winthrop were Rear Admiral Hutch I. Cone and Lieutenant Commander Thomas T. Craven.

ROLLA WELLS IS EARLY ON THE JOB

Democratic National Treasurer Is After Small Contributor.

THE PEOPLE ARE TO HELP There is to Be No "Tainted Money" Used in Electing Wilson and Marshall.

New York.—A small, smooth shaved, middle-aged man with a coat of tan that gave evidence of much outdoor life recently came into the Waldorf carrying a suitcase early in the afternoon and registered as "Rolla Wells, St. Louis, Mo."

The smooth shaved little man, who is to be the watchdog of the Wilson campaign money from now on, was asked for vital statistics, whereupon it was learned at first hand that he is a banker and ex-mayor of St. Louis, is fifty-six years old, was graduated at Princeton in 1876, or three years before Governor Wilson was graduated; that he has two sons who are Princeton men and a grandson who some day will be a Princeton man; that he had no notion of seeing New York this summer until the Wilson organization selected him as its treasurer and that just at present the one thing that sticks out in the appointment in his mind is that the new job cut in seriously upon a most beautiful vacation which he and Mrs. Wells had been enjoying in a camp at Little Traverse Bay, Michigan.

Mr. Wells believes in getting at his desk at 8 o'clock in the morning. "We are going to raise our campaign fund through the small contributions," said Mr. Wells. "I am sure that a large part of the money will be raised by popular subscription."

"The people have confidence in Woodrow Wilson, and they will give what they can of their means to elect such a man president. "I am a great believer in publishing broadcast, before and after election, "There are men who can well afford to give the committee \$5,000, but I want to assure the public that we are not going to have any tainted money. "We are appealing to the people, and we are relying on them to help elect Wilson and Marshall. "I have two boys who have been graduated from Princeton, one five years ago and one seven. But it is not that I like Governor Wilson. He is a great big man and the type that we should have in public life."

The combined weight of Joseph Aiken and Miss Alpine Blitch, who were married in Brooklyn, is 765 pounds. The bride weighs 630 pounds.

Strouse & Brothers' Cutter. Last day taking measures for Fall suits. Call today. J. M. Solky & Co.

RALEIGH NEWS NOTES

Charters Issued—Minister Is Slashed—Wharf Rats Being Killed (Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., August 23.—A charter was issued today for the Southern Realty Co., of Newbern. The capital is \$100,000 authorized and \$5,000 subscribed by T. D. Warren, W. B. Blades and J. H. D. There is also an amendment for the charter of the Coca-Cola Bottling Co., of Rocky Mount, changing the name to the Fleming-Cromatic Co., E. F. Fleming, president, and A. A. Cromatic, secretary.

Last night at his home near Wake Forest, Mr. D. Bryant Harrison, a prominent farmer of the county, cut Rev. C. R. Sorrell twice with a knife because the young minister, a student at Wake Forest College, had assisted in the runaway marriage of Mr. Harrison's daughter, Miss Evie, and Mr. Bennett Wall, whom Mr. Harrison objected to as a son-in-law. Rev. Sorrell has been making his home in the Harrison home while getting through college and he helped the young couple in their runaway to Smithfield Wednesday night after he had been warned by Mr. Harrison to have nothing to do with the threatened runaway. Sorrell is the pastor of Mr. Harrison's church and Mr. Harrison has all along been much interested in the efforts of the young man to get his ministerial education. Sorrell had returned to the Harrison home after the runaway as though nothing had happened and Mr. Harrison ordered him from his place and made the attack on him. Mr. Harrison has given bond in the case against him for the attack on the minister. The latter is cut across the cheek and on the neck, neither being very serious.

In the crusade against wharf rats that has been on here for several weeks with \$50 in prizes offered by private subscriptions for the largest number killed through the efforts of any person during August, there have already been over 700 rats turned over to the authorities. The indications are that after this experimental contest is over there will be another series of prizes toward which there will be a substantial subscription by

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